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25X1	l. Talked to Robert Blum, Research
	Assistant, Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and gave him the dates
	on which he visited Headquarters in connection with the review and
	declassification of certain OSS files per his request of yesterday. This
	information is required for statistical reporting within the Committee.
25X <sub>,</sub> 1	2. Met with Ralph Preston, House Appropriations
	Committee staff, who told me that nothing has been firmed up as yet on
	the CIA Special Group. There is continuing discussion that may be reflected
	in today's meeting of the Democratic Caucus of the organization of the
i	Committee on Appropriations. Preston also told me that he would appreciate
}	a briefing on the Agency budget as soon as the book is ready. Charles
:	Briggs, ORM, has been advised.
1	I briefed Preston on the following current items: Soviet SS-11
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i i	3 Talked to Mike Van Dusen, Near East
*	Subcommittee staff of House Foreign Affairs Committee, who told me
	that their check on attendance and those needing transportation for Friday's
	briefing of the Subcommittee at Headquarters will not be completed until
	Thursday noon. He will call me.
25X1	4. ( Talked to Mike Finley, Inter-American
	Affairs Subcommittee staff, who told me that Chairman Fascell is looking
j	to a date around the 1st of the month for rescheduling of the briefing for the
	Subcommittee. Finley will call me as soon as their schedule is a little
	firmer.
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